

# LOG CABINS



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**N**O man-made structure harmonizes so well with natural settings as a rugged log cabin. None combines so well the possibilities for roughing it with the opportunity for real comforts of home life.

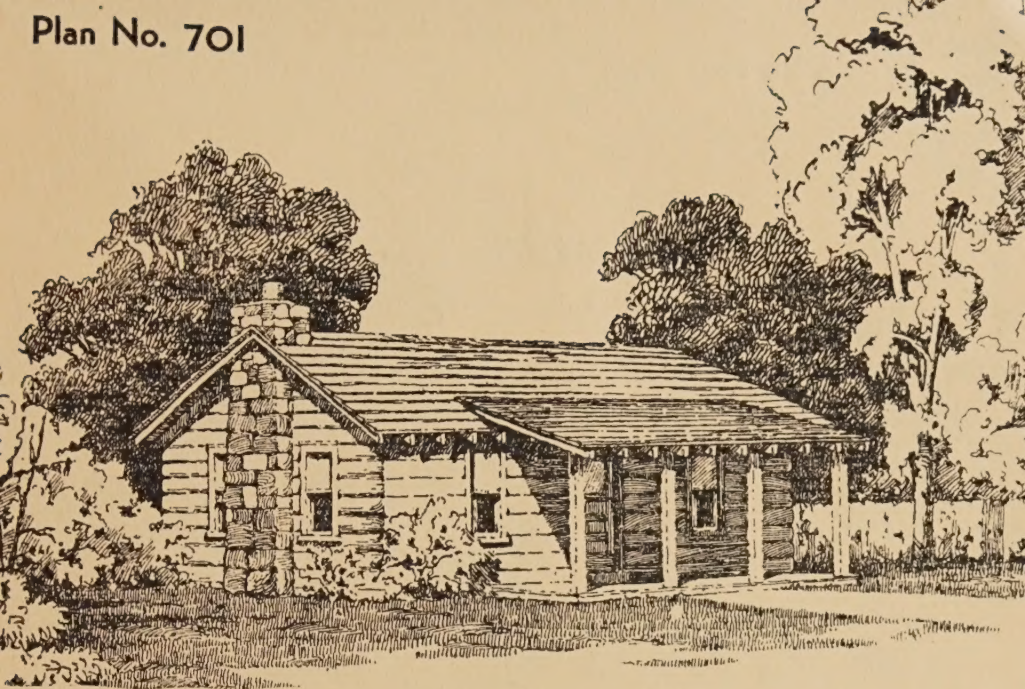
And now, by mass production and standardization upon a few most desirable designs, we make available for families of moderate income, really sturdy and attractive log cabins at surprisingly low price.

The pages which follow present these designs. On the inside back cover are shown the quality specifications which insure the cabins permanency and beauty.

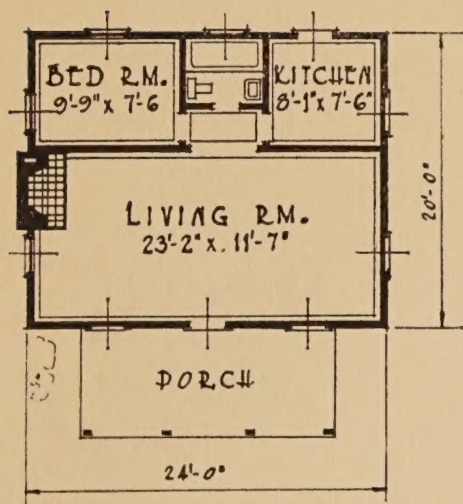
On the last page is an Information Blank. If you will fill it out in detail, we will be able to quote you an exact delivered price to your station, and to give you an accurate estimate of the cost of construction in your vicinity.

We are equipped to supply log cabins of any size, from your plans or ours. One special cabin just completed cost about \$4000, so that you will realize that our ability to serve you is not limited.





## The Boone Log Cabin



### SIZE

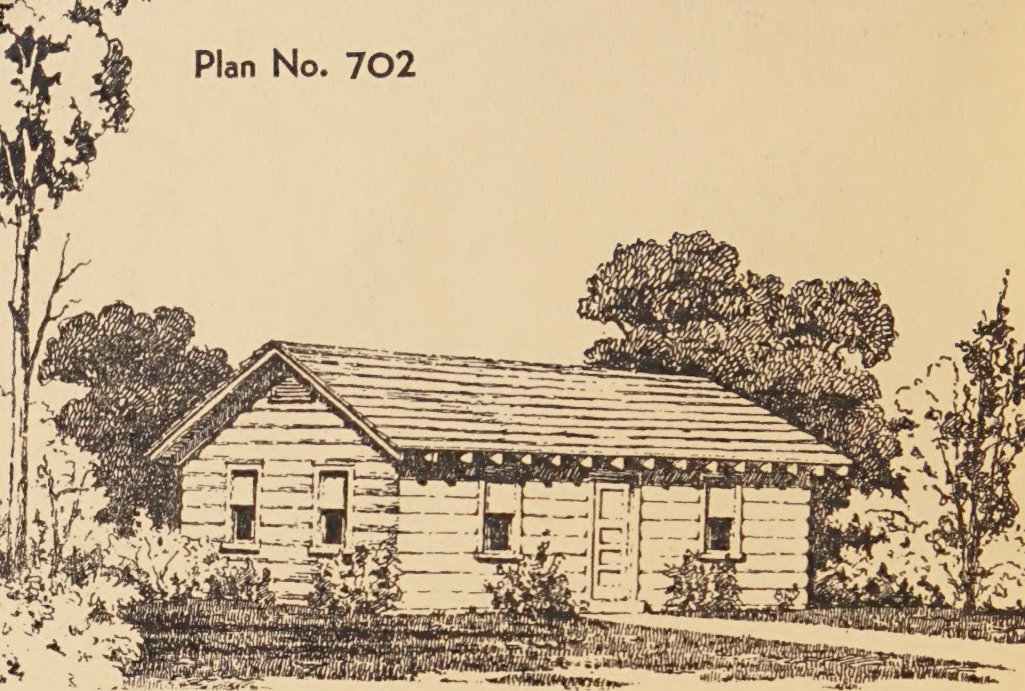
24'-0" x 20'-0"

Three Rooms and Bath

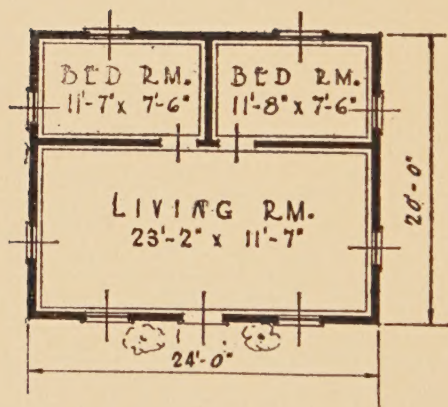
Porch, 8'-0" x 17'-0"

Daniel Boone during the early days of American history, was an explorer, woodsman and colonizer of renown, and log cabins were intimately associated with his romantic life

Plan No. 702



## The Custer Log Cabin



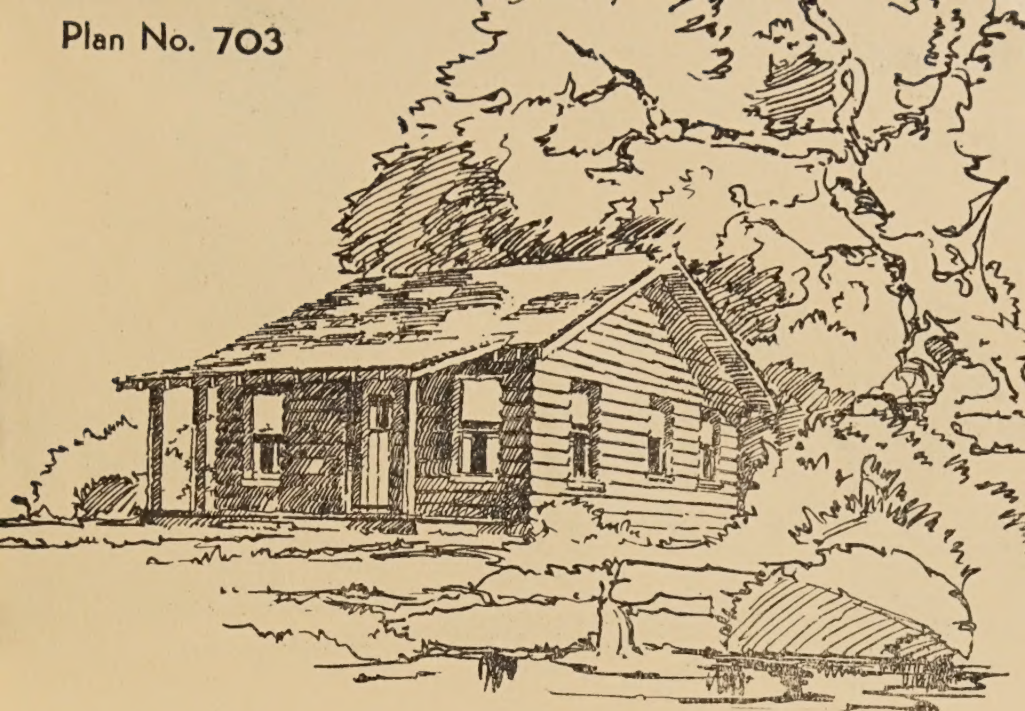
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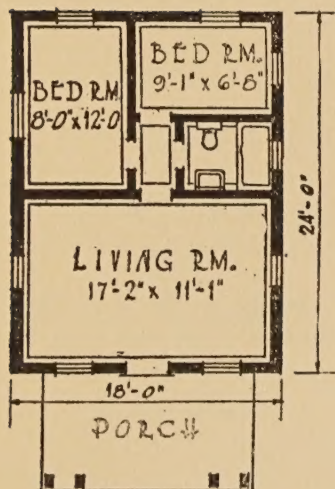
Three Rooms

General of American expeditions against the mighty Indian tribes of his day, Custer's name is indelibly graven on history's pages because of his noble stand at the Little Big Horn in 1876.





## The Crockett Log Cabin



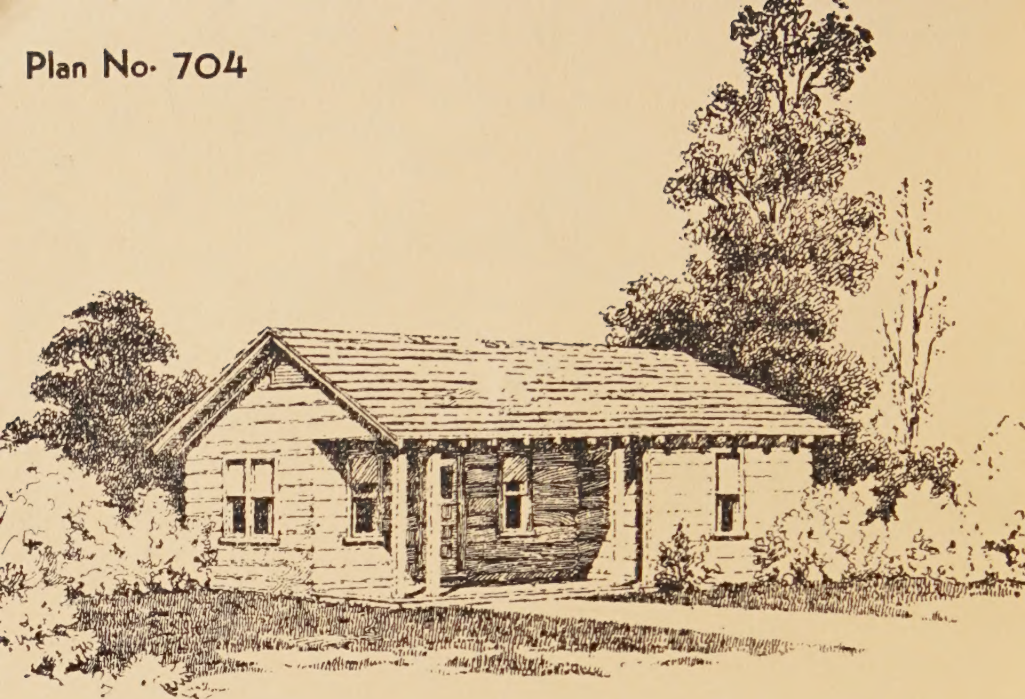
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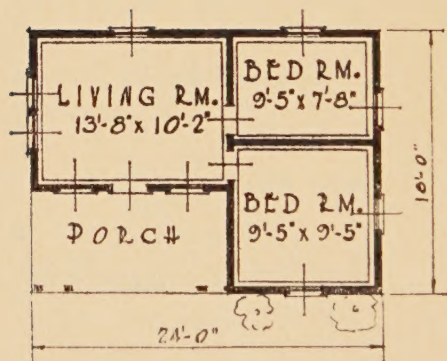
Three Rooms and Bath

Porch, 8'-0" x 14'-0"

David Crockett, a frontiersman, pioneer and later a statesman of outstanding merit, is inevitably associated with the rugged log cabins of the early nineteenth century.



## The Standish Log Cabin



### SIZE

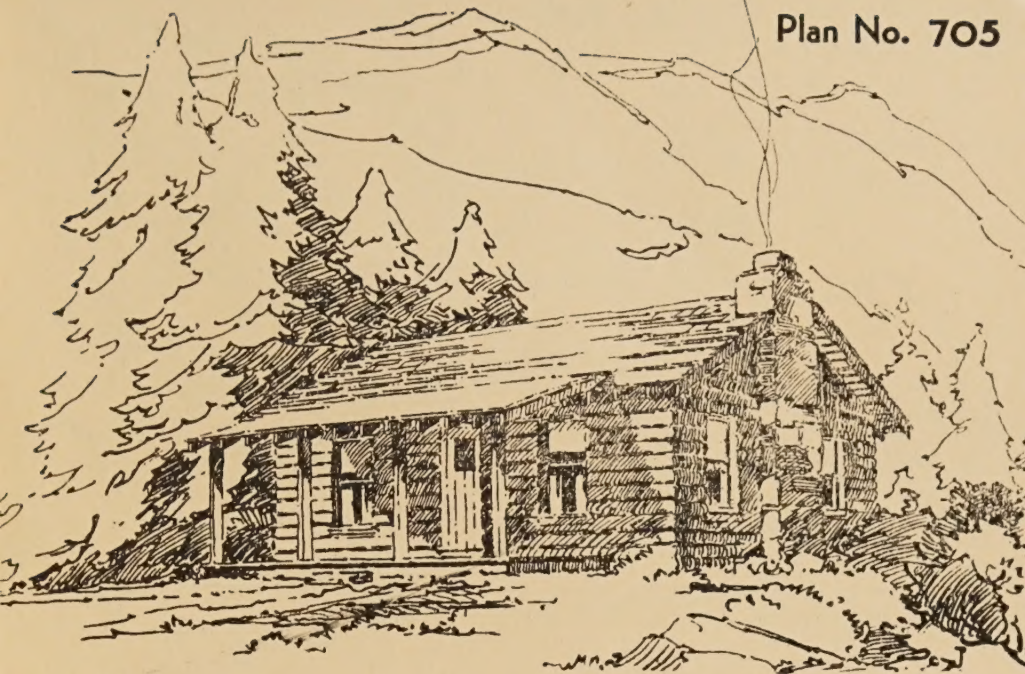
24'-0" x 18'-0"

Porch, 7'-0" x 13'-9"

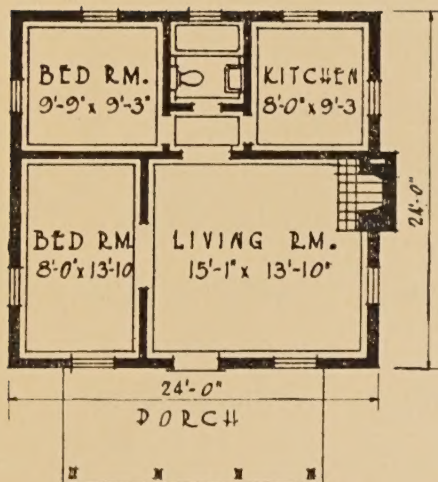
Three Rooms

Militant, courageous, firm as the rock upon which his gallant company landed, Miles Standish helped build many of the log cabin homes of the Plymouth colony.





## The Lincoln Log Cabin



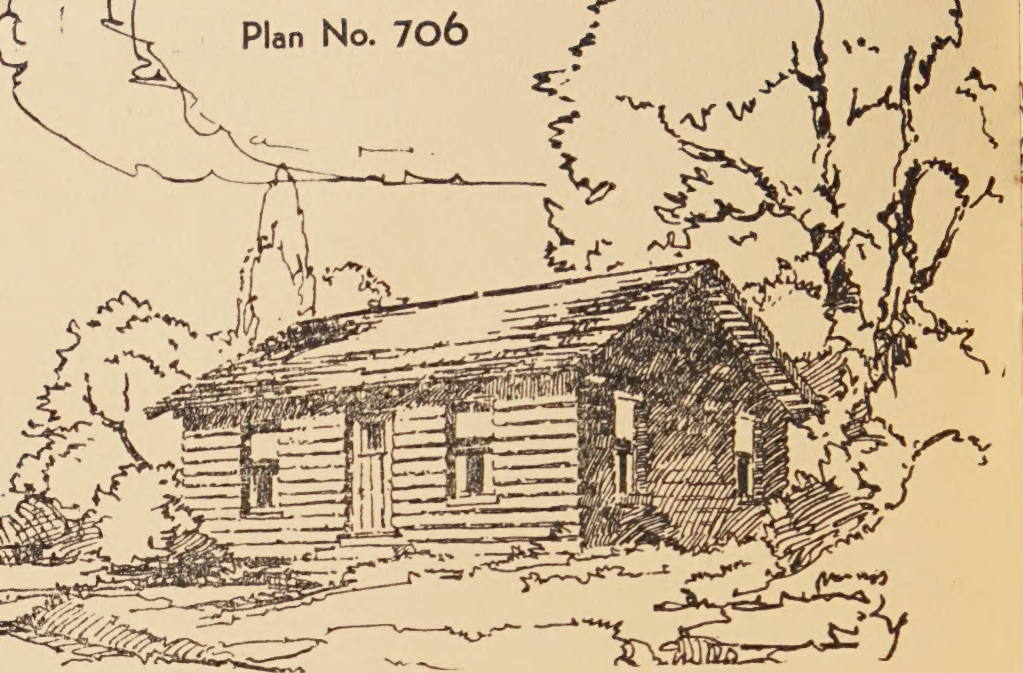
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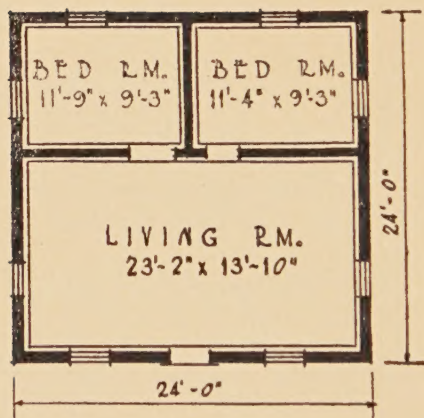
Four Rooms and Bath

Porch, 8'-0" x 17'-0"

If any one American needs no introduction, it is Abraham Lincoln. All of us are familiar with his boyhood days in a sturdy old log cabin; a hardy, pioneering life contributing greatly to the molding of his deathless character.



## The Hudson Log Cabin



### SIZE

24'-0" x 24'-0"

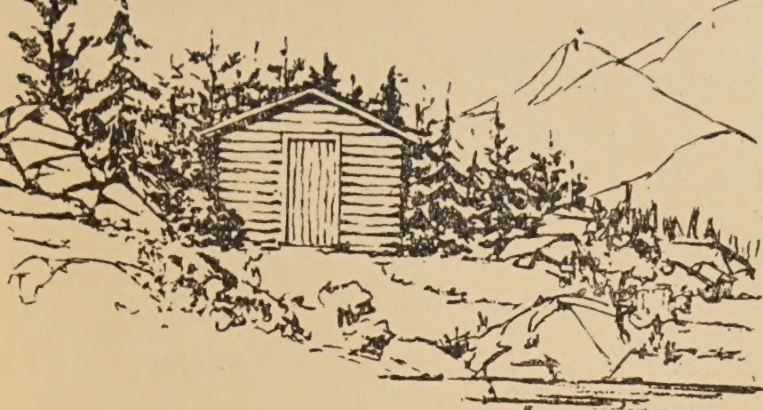
Three Rooms

Henry Hudson, foremost navigator and explorer of his day, was familiar with the various log cabin types used as homes, trading posts, and even as fortifications.

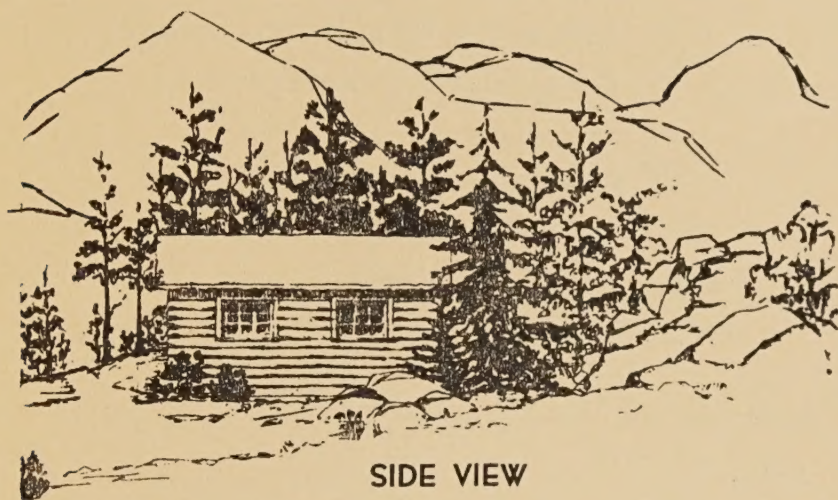
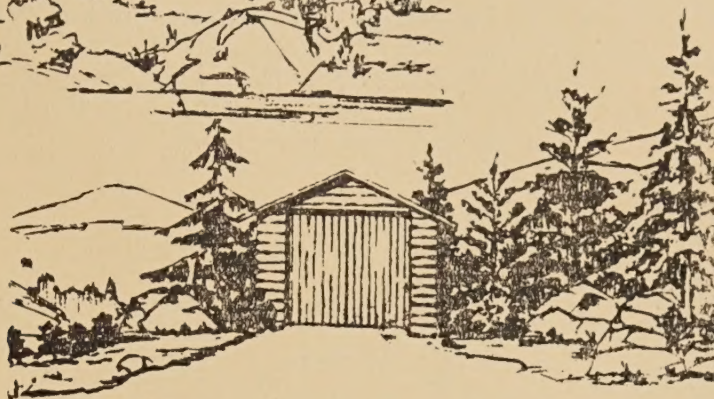


Plan No. 707

CABIN  
FRONT



GARAGE  
FRONT



SIDE VIEW

The Carson — SIZE 12'-0" x 18'-0" — One Room

GARAGE, BOATHOUSE OR CABIN

Woven around the name of Christopher "Kit" Carson, are countless legends and folk stories. A dominant figure in the frontier days of the early 19th century, his colorful career was in many phases tied in with log cabin life.

SEARS, ROEBUCK AND CO.

(NEW YORK, CHICAGO OR PHILADELPHIA)

LOG CABIN DIVISION

GENTLEMEN:

Without a bit of obligation to me, please tell me the  
*EXACT* price of Cabin No. \_\_\_\_\_ delivered  
to the railroad station at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, with  
the following options included:

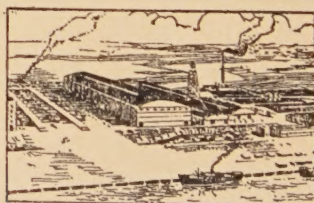
- ☐ Strip shingles instead of roll roofing
- ☐ Lavatory
- ☐ Kitchen sink
- ☐ Septic tank, including pipe from cabin
- ☐ Foundation posts: 4" or 6" x 4'-6" long
- ☐ Batten shutters
- ☐ Bronze window screens
- ☐ Bronze screen doors
- ☐ How much should it cost to erect?

(The local carpenter scale is \$\_\_\_\_\_ per hour.)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_



OUR PORT NEWARK PLANT



# DESCRIPTION OF LOG CABIN CONSTRUCTION

Sears-Roebuck cut and fitted Log Cabins are designed to be built on foundation posts, masonry piers or solid masonry foundation walls, and are guaranteed as to quantity and quality specified.

**LUMBER**—All taken from our regular well-seasoned Fir stock.

**GIRDERS AND SILLS**—Are built up of 3 members 2" x 6" each, making a complete strong unit 6" x 6".

**FLOOR JOISTS**—Are 2" x 8" spaced 24" O. C. Box Sill construction.

**OUTSIDE WALL**—Studded with 2" x 4" spaced 24" O. C. with door and window headers to make a rigid frame with 2" x 4" plates at floor and two 2" x 4" members built up rafter plate.

**RAFTERS**—2" x 4" placed 24" O. C. with 1" x 4" ridge boards.

**ROOF BOARDS**—1" x 6" D. & M. roofers laid tight.

**VERGE BOARDS**—2" x 6" forming a show rafter at gable ends.

**LOG SIDING**—Cut special from 2" x 8" timber to be mitered at corners, all bark removed.

**INSIDE PARTITIONS**—Are constructed of 1" x 8" 'V' boards set vertically in a floor plate made of two pieces 1-3/8" x 1-3/8" shoe and a special 2" x 4" top partition plate grooved to receive the partition boards. A 1" x 4" chair rail extends horizontally between uprights on one side of partition.

**PORCH JOISTS**—2" x 6"—24" O. C. supported on two-member sills and girders built up of 2" x 6" timbers.

**FLOOR**—1" x 4" flat grain flooring for main building and porch.

**PORCH COLUMNS**—6" round logs rough.

**ROOFING**—O. S. S. Roll Roofing, red or green, with ridge and flashing as required.

**PAINT**—Seroco interior and exterior floor paint for cabin and porch floors, stain for siding, interior partitions and inside of outside walls 8' high.

**MILLWORK**—Carefully manufactured from high grade lumber.

**WINDOWS**—Frames special clear cypress with 1-3/8" White Pine 8-light check rail sash; molding used for trim on inside; outside window trim special design.

**DOORS**—Exterior and interior special batten design built up of heavy 'V' boards with cross bracing.

**HARDWARE**—All nails to completely construct each cabin; all finish hardware for doors consisting of hinges and rim locks, window locks and spring bolts for holding sash in position.

**NOTE**—Foundation posts, door and window screens, shutters, plumbing, heating, lighting, mantel and chimney are not included. Select from catalog or get special quotation. Shipments to Middle Western States will be yellow pine instead of Fir.

Our ability to serve you on any of your building problems, includes the following:

HOMES OF ANY SIZE

FARM BUILDINGS

REROOFING

GARAGES

LUMBER

SUMMER COTTAGES

MILL WORK

WAYSIDE STANDS

HOME MODERNIZING



And we can't resist mentioning that it was the Home Construction Division of Sears, Roebuck and Company which reproduced the full size replica of Mount Vernon in Paris last year for the United States Government